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Applicant:

Raphael C. Wong

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LATERAL FLOW CONTACT TEST

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AMENDMENT RESPONSIVE TO JULY 18, 2002 OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed July 18, 2002. A request for a three-month extension and the appropriate fee are enclosed. To the extent any additional fees may be required for consideration of this amendment, you are hereby authorized to charge any deficit or credit any surplus to Deposit Account No. 01-1960. Applicant hereby amends the above-entitled application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please substitute the following claims for the pending claims of the same number: